

Geospatial Data Management Standards and Procedures

Supporting the Exchange and Replicating of Geospatial Data

Appendix C

VGIS Data Warehouse - Add/Update Checklist



Data Layer: _____

Location of Master: _____

Master Format: (COV/SHP/GRID/PGDB/EGDB/FGDB)

Tile Schema: _____ Date: _____ Filled out by: _____

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| _____ Identify data layer properties (features) | _____ tiled data? |
| _____ polygons | _____ arcs/polylines |
| _____ points | _____ raster |
| _____ annotation | _____ routes |
| _____ lookup tables? | |

_____ If new, assign theme category (ex: Transportation – Roads). Refer to VGIS Theme Categories
_____ Theme

_____ If new, assign full layer name (feature dataset) and feature class name(s)
_____ FeatureDataset_Name (ex: EnvironHazmat_HAZSITES)
_____ FeatureClass_Name (ex: Environ_HAZSITES_point)
_____ FeatureClass_Name

_____ Load layer into Enterprise (ArcSDE) or File Geodatabase

- _____ If existing layer exists archive it first
- _____ Create Feature dataset (FDS) in “staging” geodatabase (eg: GDB_DDev or GDB_Temp.gdb)
- _____ Load features (poly,line,point,route, raster) into FDS
- _____ Copy newly loaded layer from staging geodatabase to production geodatabase: GDB_<Org> (eg: GDB_ANR).

_____ Create/Update metadata

- _____ Create/Update master TXT file. Added “Process Step” entry.
- _____ Load metadata into geodatabase (associate with Feature dataset not Feature class).
- _____ Generate HTML/XML files.

_____ **Level I nodes:** Submit copy of data in File Geodatabase format to VCGI

_____ Level II nodes:

- _____ If data needs to be pre-packaged (you can normally skip this step), Zip and Post data (**shapefile**) for download (\layers_<org>\PrePackaged_Shapefiles). If layer already exists on web server archive it first.
- _____ If you have ArcIMS, register layer with ArcIMS (DATAWARE_<Org> service) if this is a **new** layer, *otherwise skip this step*
- _____ Refresh ArcIMS service

_____ **Notify VCGI** that data has been Updated or is New

- _____ Send email to dba@vcgi.org with the following information
 - Layer_name
 - Post_Date (date when the data was actually posted to the linked server)
 - Last_Update_Date (last date the data was actually updated/revised – can be different from post_date)
 - URL to ZIP and metadata

_____ **Verify** that the data and metadata are accessible from VCGI’s website (if it’s a new layer you’ll need to wait for VCGI to update the VGIS Data Warehouse Cataloging database) <http://www.vcgi.org/dataware>

_____ File this checklist